

*Call for papers:*

**18<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on the  
Political Economy of International Organization (PEIO)**

January 29-31, 2026 – IE University, Segovia, Spain

We invite submissions for the eighteenth annual conference on the Political Economy of International Organization. The conference is hosted by IE University on January 29-31, 2026. The conference brings together economists and political scientists to address political economy issues related to international organizations such as the World Trade Organization, United Nations, International Monetary Fund, World Bank, European Union, and others. We also consider submissions on topics more broadly related to international organization, such as foreign aid, international agreements and international law.

### **Submission of Papers**

Both empirical and theoretical papers and pre-analysis plans\* will be considered. Please submit **full papers or pre-analysis plans\*** via our online submission form at [www.peio.me](http://www.peio.me). The deadline for submission is **September 30, 2025**. We will make decisions by mid-October.

### **Conference Format, Attendance, and Registration**

The number of participants will be limited to about 100 to allow for in-depth discussion of each paper. Authors of accepted papers are expected to attend the *entire* conference. There is no conference fee. Travel and accommodation are at the expense of participants.

### **Conference Venue**

The conference will be held at IE University in Segovia, Spain. The Segovia campus may be reached from Adolfo Suárez Madrid-Barajas airport by train via Madrid Chamartin train station. Conference hotels will be located in Segovia. Conference locations will be within walking distance of the conference hotels.

**Conference Website:** <http://www.peio.me/>

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We look forward to your submission.

### **\*Pre-Analysis Plan Submission**

PEIO accepts pre-analysis plans (PAPs) for experimental papers as submissions for our annual conference. This initiative aims to provide researchers with constructive feedback on their theoretical arguments and research design before the data collection stage. This process mirrors the *Journal of Politics* Registered Reports format.

Submissions should include the following components to ensure comprehensive understanding and feedback:

- Clearly outlined research question and its significance in the context of the political economy of international organizations.
- A thorough review of existing literature to contextualize the research question and highlight gaps the proposed research aims to fill.
- A theoretical framework that underpins the research, detailing the reasoning and logic that lead to the formulation of hypotheses.
- Clearly stated hypotheses to be tested, explaining how they derive from the theoretical framework.
- A detailed description of the planned research project, including data collection methods, experimental procedures, analytical techniques
- The methodology should be described with sufficient detail to allow replication by another researcher.

Authors are encouraged to include any supplementary materials that could enhance the feedback process, such as preliminary data (if available), potential measurement tools, or planned analytical models.

Please note: The pre-analysis plan should not be pre-registered, allowing authors the flexibility to incorporate feedback and make necessary adjustments before finalizing their research design.